

**BEFORE THE
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WISCONSIN**

Joint Application of Wisconsin Power and Light
Company and Wisconsin Electric Power Company
For Certificate of Authority for Edgewater Generating
Station Unit 5 NOx Reduction Project

Docket No. 05-CE-137

WPPI ENERGY'S REQUEST TO INTERVENE

Pursuant to Wis. Admin. Code § PSC 2.21 and Wis. Stat. §227.44, WPPI Energy (WPPI), by its undersigned attorneys, hereby files its request to intervene in the above-captioned proceeding.

INTRODUCTION

WPPI is a municipal electric company formed pursuant to the provisions of Wis. Stats. § 66.0825 for the purpose of supplying adequate, economical and reliable electric power and energy to its member municipalities. WPPI provides all of the power and energy requirements of its 41 in Wisconsin members through long term power-supply contracts. Each member operates a municipal electric utility for the sale and distribution of energy to retail customers located in its service territory.

STATEMENT OF INTEREST

1. WPPI is the largest electric customer of Wisconsin Electric Power Company and Wisconsin Power and Light Company. It also is the owner of certain coal facilities. It therefore has a strong interest in the outcome of these proceedings, both as a customer and an owner.

2. As a result of the foregoing, WPPI meets the standards for intervention under Wis. Admin. Code § PSC 2.21(1).

3. Alternatively, WPPI seeks intervention as a matter of permission under Wis. Admin. Code § PSC 2.21(2). In support of permissive intervention, WPPI incorporates the preceding paragraphs and in addition represents as follows:

a. WPPI regularly intervenes and provides input to the Commission in its various regulatory proceedings. WPPI has been actively involved in various policy, rulemaking, and study efforts at the PSCW, as well an intervenor in formal retail rate case and CA or CPCN proceedings.

b. WPPI's participation in this proceeding may provide valuable insight to the Commission, and promote the proper disposition of the issues, and will not impede the timely completion of this docket.

COMMUNICATION

All further communications and correspondence in this proceeding should be served on:

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CONCLUSION

For these reasons set forth above, WPPI requests that the Commission grants its request to intervene in this proceeding.

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